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SUBJECT: FOREIGN INVESTMENT CLIMATE

REF: STATE 165596 AND 197406

1. DIRECT FOREIGN INVESTMENT IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA CONTINUES TO BE FORBIDDEN BY LAW AND THERE IS NO PROSPECT OF A CHANGE. WESTERN STYLE JOINT VENTURES ARE NOT PERMITTED; SALES OF TECHNOLOGY AND LICENSING ARRANGEMENTS DO NOT USUALLY INVOLVE PROVISION OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES OR TECHNOLOGY ON A CONTINUING BASIS.

2. ALTHOUGH CZECHOSLOVAKIA TAKES A POSITIVE APPROACH TO COMMERCIAL CONTACTS WITH AMERICAN FIRMS, THE QUESTION OF INVESTMENT SIMPLY DOES NOT APPLY.

3. NOTE: ABOVE TEXT IS ESSENTIALLY A REPEAT OF LAST YEAR'S STATEMENT, WITH MINOR MODIFICATIONS.  
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